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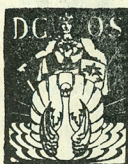
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THURSDAY	20th	LA TRAVIATA Gigli, Cavanagh, Clabassi, La Porta, Misciano, Silveri Conductor: Doyle
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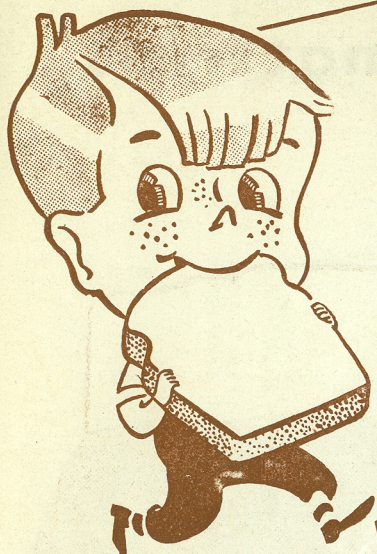
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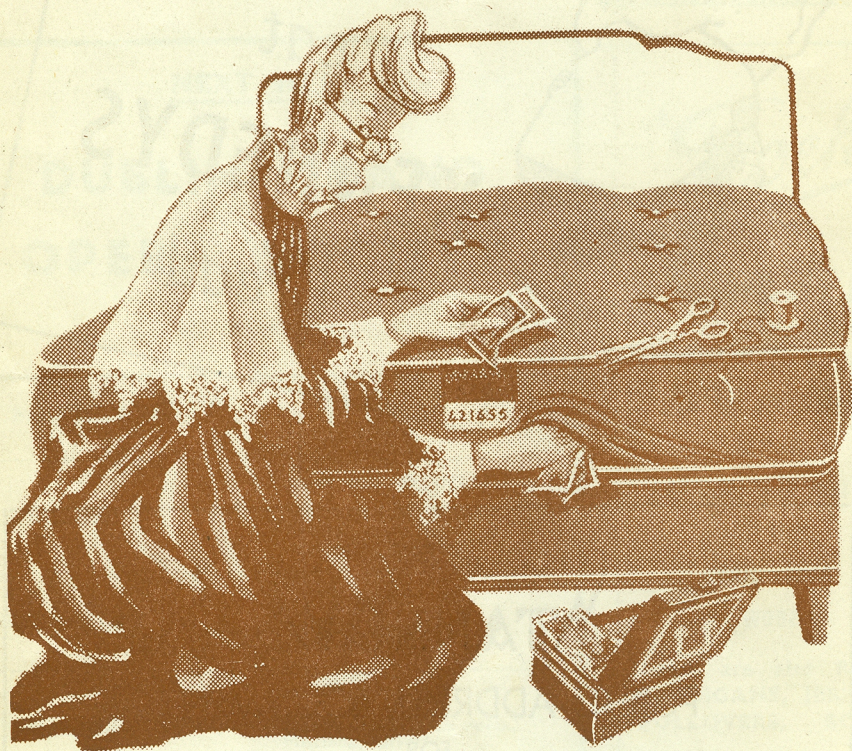
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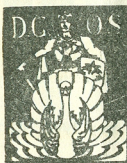
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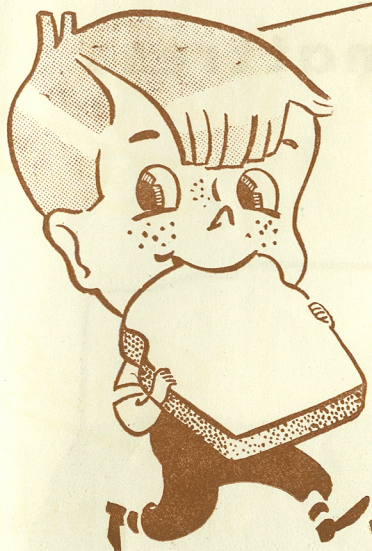
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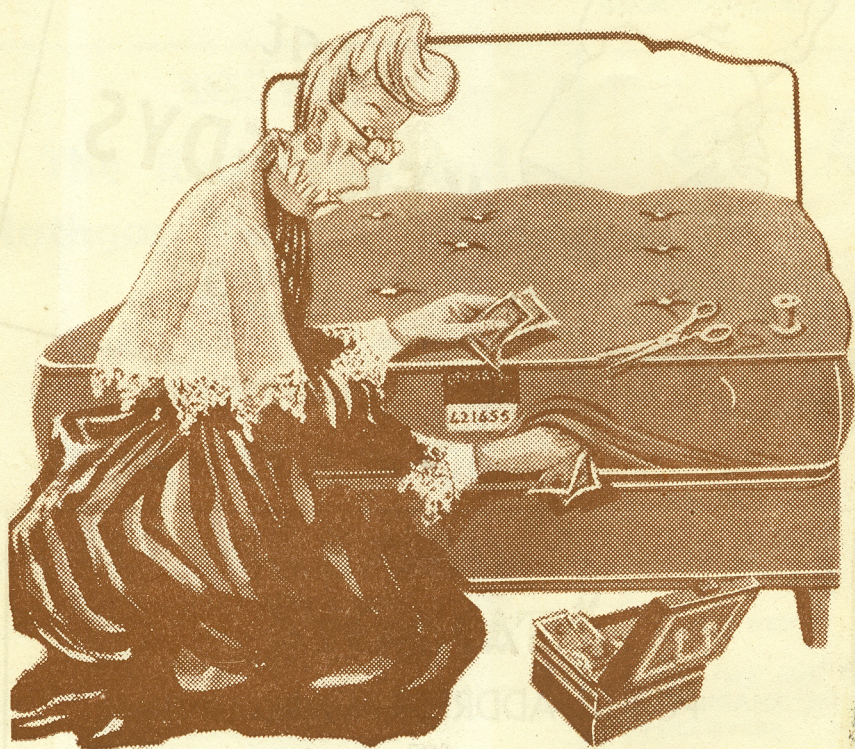
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Scene 2.....Garden in the Palace of the Princess

ACT 2

Scene 1.....Camp of the Gipsies
Scene 2.....The Cloister of the Convent

ACT 3

Scene 1.....Il Conte di Luna's Camp
Scene 2.....Chamber in the Castle

ACT 4

Scene 1.....Outside the Dungeon Tower of Aliaferia, adjoining a
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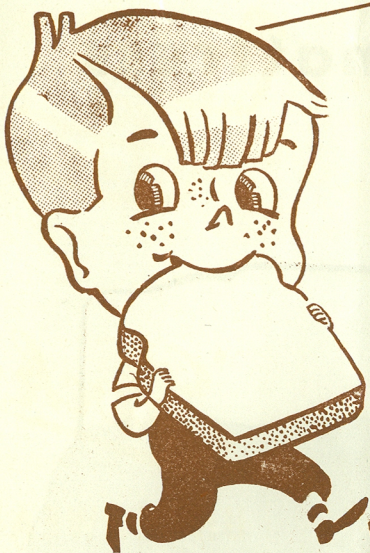
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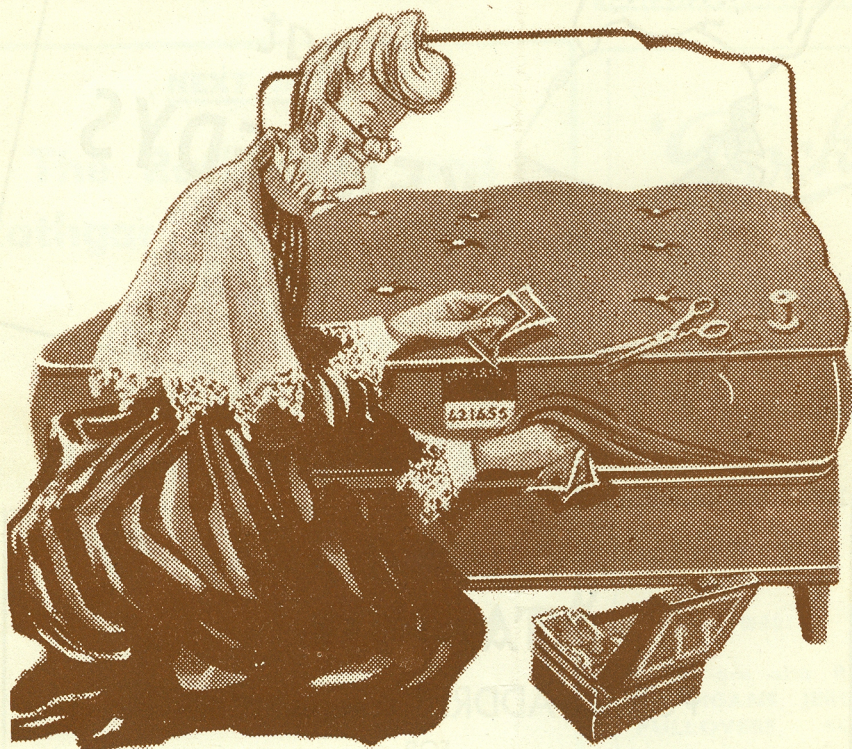
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